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MEMORANDUM FOR: Assistant Director for National Estimates

Assistant Director for Research and Reports Assistant Director for Scientific Intelligence Assistant Director for Collection and Dissemination

Assistant Director for Operations

Assistant Director for Special Operations

Assistant to Deputy for Inspection and Security

Advisor for Management

SUBJECT:

Policy for the Dissemination of Classified 25X1X7 Information to

ENCLOSURE:

(A) Braft of Memorandum to Deputy Director from AAD/IC, dated 27 January 1951

(B) Draft of Memorandum to all ADs and Staff Chiefs from Deputy Director, dated 27 January 1951

- 1. Enclosure (A) presents a problem of long-standing, relative 25X1X7 to dissemination of classified information The problem arises by reason of (1) the multiplicity of channels currently being utilized for such dissemination; (2) the cumbersome and excessively time-consuming controls now being practiced; (3) and an inadequate placement of responsibility for review of materials against existing policy prior to release.
- 2. It is proposed to recommend the issue of Enclosure (B) in order to ameliorate the system of dissemination with respect to the abovedescribed deficiencies and to enunciate a policy statement covering the operation as a whole for the guidance of the several offices involved.
- 3. It is accordingly requested that addressees furnish by 5 February 1951 such comment upon Enclosures (A) and (B) as they may desire to submit.

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